

Wichita Police Department Strategic Agenda 2007-2011

Safe and Secure Community

1. Enhance the Wichita Police Department's commitment to our community policing philosophy.
2. Continue to identify and respond to the effects of city growth regarding the delivery of public safety services, in order to; maintain and/or improve response times and the crime rate, improve environmental health and community safety efforts, and maintain and improve citizen's perception of Public Safety.
3. Maintaining index crime clearance rates at or above the national average for comparable cities, and routinely evaluate other clearance rates and enforcement activity, as necessary, to proactively respond to community needs.
4. Conduct an analysis of specific Departmental operations and functions.
5. Continue to develop Homeland Security strategies.

Economic Vitality and Affordable Living

6. While the Wichita Police Department's Strategic Agenda does not specifically address this Council Goal and Indicator, the overall agenda influences economic vitality and affordable living issues.

Efficient Infrastructure

7. Evaluate the Department's infrastructure to ensure members have a professional physical work environment that maximizes performance and customer service.

Quality of Life

8. Develop and implement new or improved quality of life strategies that enhance our partnerships in the community, with a continued emphasis on youth and the elderly.

Core Area and Neighborhoods

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Internal Perspectives

10. Communicate and demonstrate the Wichita Police Department's Mission and Values to members of the Department and community.
11. Continue the comprehensive recruiting plan that reflects our commitment to a diverse workforce which reflects the community.
12. Continued evaluation of the Department's pay structure to ensure that compensation is commensurate with the responsibilities of the position.
13. Continue to enhance the Department's information and technology capabilities.